Determination of Variance

Area Board of Zoning Appeals Meeting Date: April 27, 2011

April 14, 2011

BZA-1821 JOHN & CONNIE BASHAM:

Petitioners are requesting a variance to permit parking in the required front setback for a proposed multi-family dwelling. The property is located in the R3W zone at 220 S. Salisbury, West Lafayette, Wabash 20 (NW) 23-4 (UZO 4-4-6 (a)).

BZA-1822 UNIVERSITY PLAZA HOTEL:

Petitioner is requesting the following sign variances:

- 1. To permit a 54.8' tall freestanding sign instead of the maximum permitted 24' in the GB zone (UZO 4-8-6);
- 2. To permit 329.52 sq. ft of total signage instead of the maximum permitted 50 sq. ft. (UZO 4-8-5);
- 3. To permit a sign setback of 22.6' instead of the required 54.8' (because sign setback is a function of sign height, if variance #1 is not granted, the required setback would be 24') (UZO 4-8-6) and;
- 4. To permit a freestanding sign area of 164.69 sq. ft. instead of the maximum permitted 40 sq. ft. (UZO 4-8-6)

at the University Plaza Hotel, to indicate its name change to the Four Points by Sheraton. The property is located at 3001 Northwestern Avenue, West Lafayette, Wabash 12 (NW) 23-5.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff advises that the above requests do not constitute use variances.